## City of Westminster Tree Commission, Bartlett Tree Experts, University of Maryland Extension & Maryland Urban Community Forest Council Proudly Present The

## 20th Annual Community Forestry Workshop

**Date:** Friday, October 5, 2012

Location: Carroll Community College, "K" Building, Westminster, Maryland

Time: 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. `RAIN OR SHINE'

**Cost:** \$75 per person (\$70/person for each supervisor when accompanied by staff)

Registration fee provides morning coffee & pastries, hot lunch, manual and more.

8:00 AM **REGISTRATION**--Beverages/Danishes and **Vendor Exhibits** 8:30 AM WELCOME/REMARKS: Mr. Peter Becker, Moderator Hon. Kevin Utz, Mayor of Westminster Mr. Gregory Purnell, MUCFC Mr. Steve Koehn, State Forester, Maryland Forest Service 8:45 AM SAFETY IN THE GREEN INDUSTRY Mr. Joe Bones Safety and Training - Why Be Concerned About Safety? **Bartlett Tree Experts DISEASE UPDATE** 9:20 AM Dr. Karen Rane What Has This Season Produced? University of Maryland What To Be On The Lookout For? **BREAK - Vendor Exhibits** NO SMOKING ON CAMPUS 10:10 AM 10:25 AM ARBORICULTURAL UPDATE Dr. Bruce Fraederich **Bartlett Research Laboratories** 11:15 AM **INSECT UPDATE** Dr. Mike Raupp How To Identify And Manage Insect Problems University of Maryland In The Landscape. Noon **LUNCH- Vendor Exhibits** NO SMOKING ON CAMPUS 1:00 PM REGULATORY COMPLIANCE Mr. Ed Crow Updates On Pesticide Regulatory Issues. MD Department of Agriculture 1:30 PM PANEL DISCUSSION Dr. Mike Raupp, Dr. Bruce Fraederich Dr. Karen Rane and Mr. Joe Bones Ask the Experts

1:45 PM BREAK - Vendor Exhibits NO SMOKING ON CAMPUS

2:00 PM AFTERNOON FIELD SESSIONS (Choose One)

Root Collar Field SessionDr. Bruce FraederichBest Management PracticesMr. Wes Furhman

**Tree Pruning – Safety, A300 Standards**Practices – Cleaning, Thinning, Reduction and Raising

Mr. Joe Bones –Mr. Victor Nakashima

Mr. Peter Becker - Mr. Paul Mullins

Disease ClinicDr. Karen RaneField and Lab Session on Tree & Shrub ProblemsMr. John DavisInsect ClinicDr. Mike Raupp

Field Session on Tree & Shrub Problems Mr. Marty Adams

3:30 PM BRAKE; EVALUATION & SUMMARY Westminster Tree Commission

4:00 PM Cold Sodas, Cookies, Brownies & Door Prizes